

Join the Celebration!
Natural Lands
25th Anniversary Festival



MISSION

We enhance the quality of life for citizens and visitors by providing excellent parks, recreation, greenways, natural lands and preservation of heritage for present and future generations.

Visit the Natural Lands Web site
www.seminolecountyfl.gov/natland

Bring a
chair
And stay all
day!

Saturday, November 7, 2015
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**Ed Yarborough Nature Center @
the Geneva Wilderness Area**
3485 N. County rd. 426 in Geneva



Exhibitors Flight Demonstration Kids Fishing
Refreshments & Food Entertainment
Door Prizes "Walk Back in Time" Tour
Games And MUCH MORE!!!



Geocaching 101 - FREE

A Beginners-level course on Geocaching!

When: October 17th

Time: 9:00am – Noon

Location: Ed Yarborough Nature Center
3485 N. County Road 426
Geneva, FL 32732

Cost: FREE

Ages: 10 and up. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Young & old alike can enjoy this modern-day game of "hide and seek" using GPS coordinates for clues. Learn about Geocaching and then go out and find special "caches" that have been placed on the property just for our class!

Only 20 spaces available so call to register NOW 407.349.0959



Winter Break Eco Adventure Camp!

December 28th thru December 31st (no camp on 1/1/16)

Location: Ed Yarborough Nature Center,
3485 N. County Road 426, Geneva, FL 32732

Cost: \$132 /wk Extended day: \$15/wk

Ages: 7-12

Hours: 9:00am-4:00pm (Extended Day: 7:30am-5:30pm)

Application and info: call 407-349-0959 for information or go to
<http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/parksrec/naturallands/index.aspx>

Scholarships available through:

Seminole County: (407)665-2170

Audubon Society: (407)797-4636 or seminoleaudubon@gmail.com

*Birthday Parties at the Ed Yarborough Nature Center in Geneva * Scouting Programs/Hikes* Public and Private School field trips * Eco Programs at your school/classroom * Private day and night hikes for groups of 15-25



Call (407)349-0959 for more information!

Fright Hike!!!

When: October 24th

Time: 7:30pm-10:00pm

Location: Geneva Wilderness Area
3485 N. County Road 426
Geneva, FL 32732

Cost: \$5 Per person

Are you afraid of the dark? What about a dark, winding path through the woods? This Halloween, find the courage to brave Fright Hike, a spooky event at the Geneva Wilderness Area! The woods at night are scary enough, but this approx ½ mile trail is hidden with spooky sounds and scenes that are sure to give you a fright.

Reward yourself at the end with a stop at the Ed Yarborough Nature Center to enjoy some refreshments and meet some slithering and creepy friends.

Tickets are limited, so purchase your tickets NOW at any of our active parks: Red Bug Lake Park, Sanlando Park or Sylvan Lake Park. Park hours are Monday thru Friday 8:00am-10:00pm and Saturday & Sunday 8:00am-8:00pm.

Guided Hikes

In honor of our 25th Anniversary we are offering FREE hikes in September and October!

Join us for a fun and "muddy" Swamp walk or come and experience the beauty of our natural lands at night. Our guides will tell you about the special habitats and the creatures that live in that area. If you're lucky you might even get to meet a few of them! Get outdoors and experience all that Seminole County has to offer.

Space is limited, advance registration required. Children must be at least 7 years of age and accompanied by an adult.

(***please note:** the Swamp Walk and hike at Black Bear Wilderness Area are morning hikes)

Pre-registration is required for all hikes, space is limited. You may call any active park to register or call 407-349-0959

September 12 th	Swamp Walk	8:00 am - 10:00 am	@ Spring Hammock Preserve
October 3 rd	Morning Hike	8:00am-11:00am	@ Black Bear Wilderness Area <u>(7.1 miles on very rough terrain. Not recommended for children under 10)</u>
October 10 th	Night Hike	7:00pm - 9:00pm	@ Lake Harney Wilderness Area
October 17 th	Night Hike	7:00pm - 9:00 pm	@ Chuluota Wilderness Area
October 17 th	Geocaching 101	9:00am – Noon	@ Geneva Wilderness Area

Snakes of Florida!



Location: Ed Yarborough Nature Center
3485 N. County Road 426
Geneva, FL 32732

Date/Time: September, 9:00am-12 noon

Cost: \$5 per person

Ages: 7 & up (children must be accompanied by an adult)

Join a local snake expert as he gives an introduction to and dispels some of the myths about these often misunderstood cold blooded residents!

***Pre-registration is required.** Register at any active Park (Red Bug Lake Park, Sanlando, or Sylvan Lake Park)

Park hours: Monday thru Friday 8:00am-10:00pm, Saturday & Sunday 8:00am-8:00pm



National Public Lands Day Open House and Free Twilight Hike!

Help us celebrate **National Public Lands Day** by getting outdoors on the trails and join us for an **Open House** and **FREE TWILIGHT HIKE!** Enjoy getting to know the native animals that live at our Nature Center and explore the trails at night on one of our unique Seminole County Natural Lands properties .

When: September 26th

Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm - **Open House**
7:00pm-9:00pm - **Twilight Hike**

Location: Geneva Wilderness Area
3485 N. County Road 426, Geneva, FL 32732

Cost: FREE Call to make a reservation. Space is limited! 407.349.0959

Wilderness Area Property Addresses

Geneva, 3485 N. County Road 426, Geneva 32732

Chuluota, 3895 Curryville Rd, Chuluota 32766

Spring Hammock Preserve, 2985 Osprey Trail, Longwood 32750

Lake Harney, 2395 Osceola Fish Camp Rd, Geneva 32732

Lake Proctor, 920 E. SR 46, Geneva 32732

Black Bear, 5298 Michigan Ave, Sanford, FL 32771

Black Hammock, 3276 Howard Ave, Oviedo, FL 32765

Econ River, 3795 Old Lockwood Rd, Oviedo, FL 32765

Lake Jesup, 5951 Sanford Ave, Sanford, FL 32773